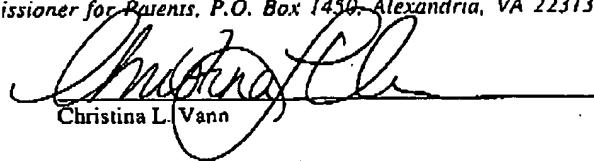


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE  
 PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME  
 FROM THE OFFICE ACTION

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Applicant : Kristine B. Fuimaono, et al.  
 Application No. : 10/040,932  
 Filed : December 31, 2001  
 Title : CATHETER HAVING MULTIPLE SPINES EACH HAVING ELECTRICAL MAPPING AND LOCATION SENSING CAPABILITIES  
 Grp./Div. : 3739  
 Examiner : Lee S. Cohen  
 Docket No. : 39582/KMO/W112

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 October 9, 2003

Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated June 9, 2003 for one month(s) from September 9, 2003 to October 9, 2003.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 55	\$ 110	\$110
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 210	\$ 420	\$0
WITHIN THIRD MONTH	\$ 475	\$ 950	\$0
WITHIN FOURTH MONTH	\$ 740	\$1480	\$0
WITHIN FIFTH MONTH	\$1005	\$2010	\$0

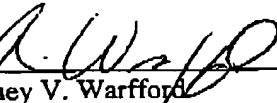
Submitted herewith is a check for \$ 110 to cover the cost of the extension.

**Petition for Extension of Time**  
**Application No. 10/040,932**

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper to Deposit Account No. 03-1728. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account. A copy of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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